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Operational Challenges for Command and Control



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SwAF Transformation – issues & goals (1)

Changing Security Environment

- Globalization, dynamic global environment. New challenges & threats.
- Dramatically changed Security Policy
 - EU member & NATO partner
 - *“From isolation to participation”*
 - *“Defending Sweden abroad”*

Key issues

From large National, Territorial force ->

Interoperable, Deployable Force ->

Contracted Expeditionary Force

Challenge - transforming the Manning system

Swe Lead nation for EU NBG 11 + NBG 14



SwAF Transformation – issues & goals (2)

Background – Society and Technology changing

- **Changing Societies and rapidly developing Technology**
- **Sweden**
 - Advanced parts of the SwAF, for example data-links within the Air Force since 1970-ies
 - Defence-, IT- and Telecomm industry

Key issues

- **Joint Force**
- **Networked Force**
- **New strategies for:**
 - Procurement
 - Research & Development



- Overall - Building interoperability capacity through permissions, authorisation, processes, materiel, methods, exercises and more
- New interoperable capabilities within the C4I area as Link 16, Link 11, Link 22, Beyond Line of Sight, Have Quick, Battleforce Email, Identification Friend or Fool



Multinational Experimentation (MNE) Series



MN LOE 1: November 2001 (AUS, DEU, GBR, USA)

⇒ Technical Distributed Collaboration
(South Pacific Vignettes)



MN LOE 2: February 2003 (added CAN and NATO)

⇒ Multinational Information Sharing
(Pacific Rim Vignettes)



MNE 3: February 2004 (added FRA)

⇒ Effects-Based Planning
(Afghanistan Scenario)



MNE 4: February / March 2006 (added FIN and SWE)

⇒ Effects-Based Operations (Afghanistan Scenario)



MNE 5: Spring 2008/Spring 2009

⇒ Comprehensive Approach (African Scenario) +
Effects-Based Approach to Multinational Operations
(military portion)



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MNE 5 Partners

- Canada
- Finland
- France
- Germany
- Sweden
- United Kingdom
- United States
- NATO ACT

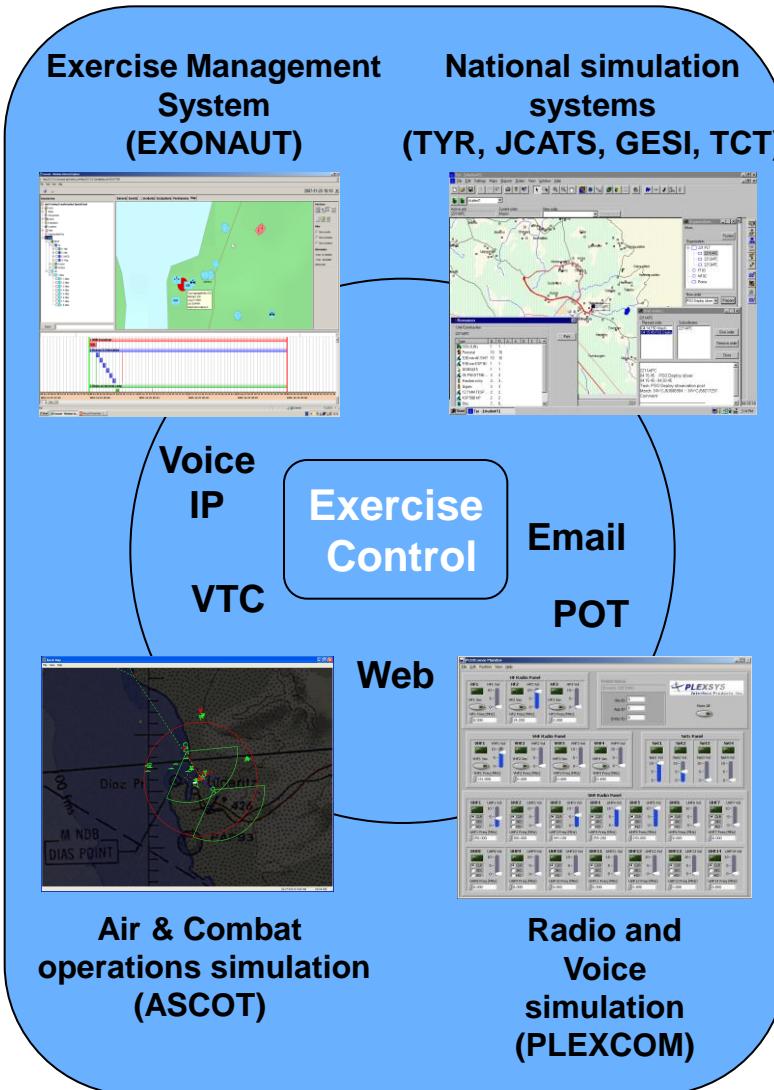
MNE 5 Participants

- Australia
- Austria
- Denmark
- Spain

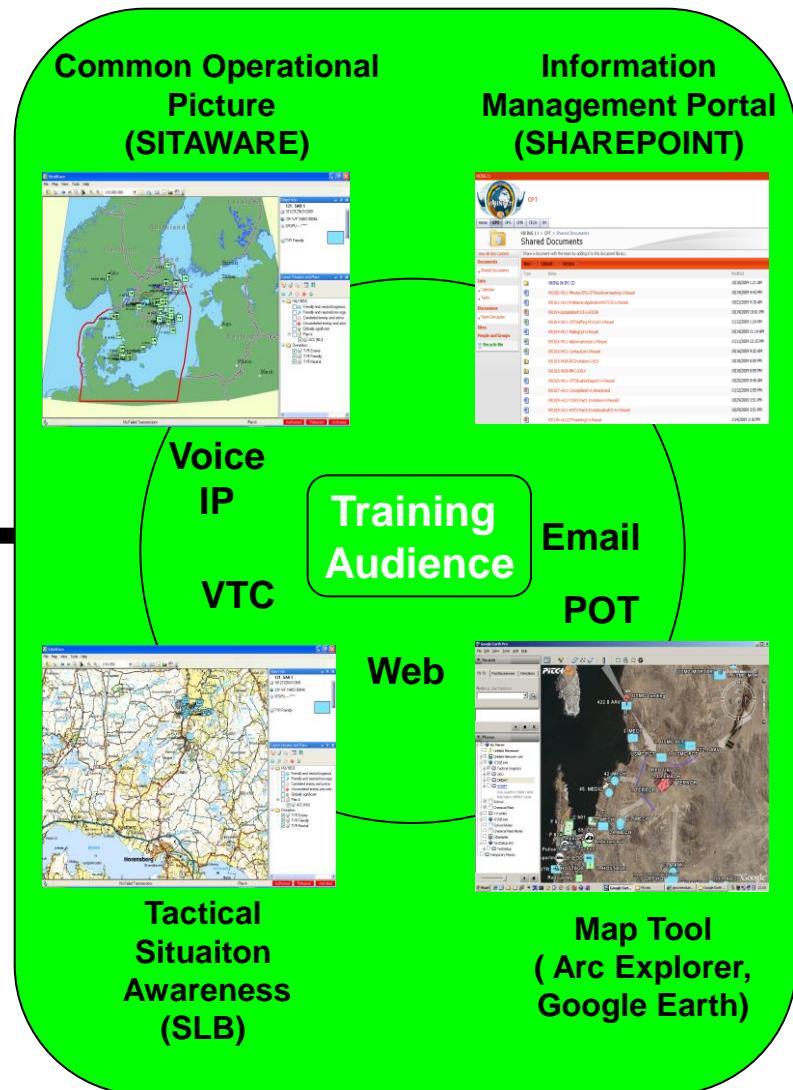
MNE 5 Observers

- Czech Republic
- Greece
- Hungary
- Japan
- Poland
- South Korea
- Singapore
- European Union

C2 and Training interoperability



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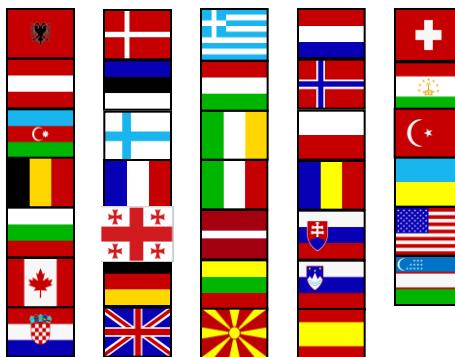
The VIKING concept



- The premier Multinational and Comprehensive Approach exercise in the world
- Washington Summit NATO 50th Anniversary VIKING concept demonstration 1999 – a Swedish / U.S. initiative (MoU since 1998)
- Executed in VIKING 99, 01, 03, 05, 08
- Based on the Persistent Partner Simulation Network Concept
- Political impact & flagship for the Swedish Armed Forces
- Important in building Partnership Capacity before deployment in operations
- Provides a wider “Network” building

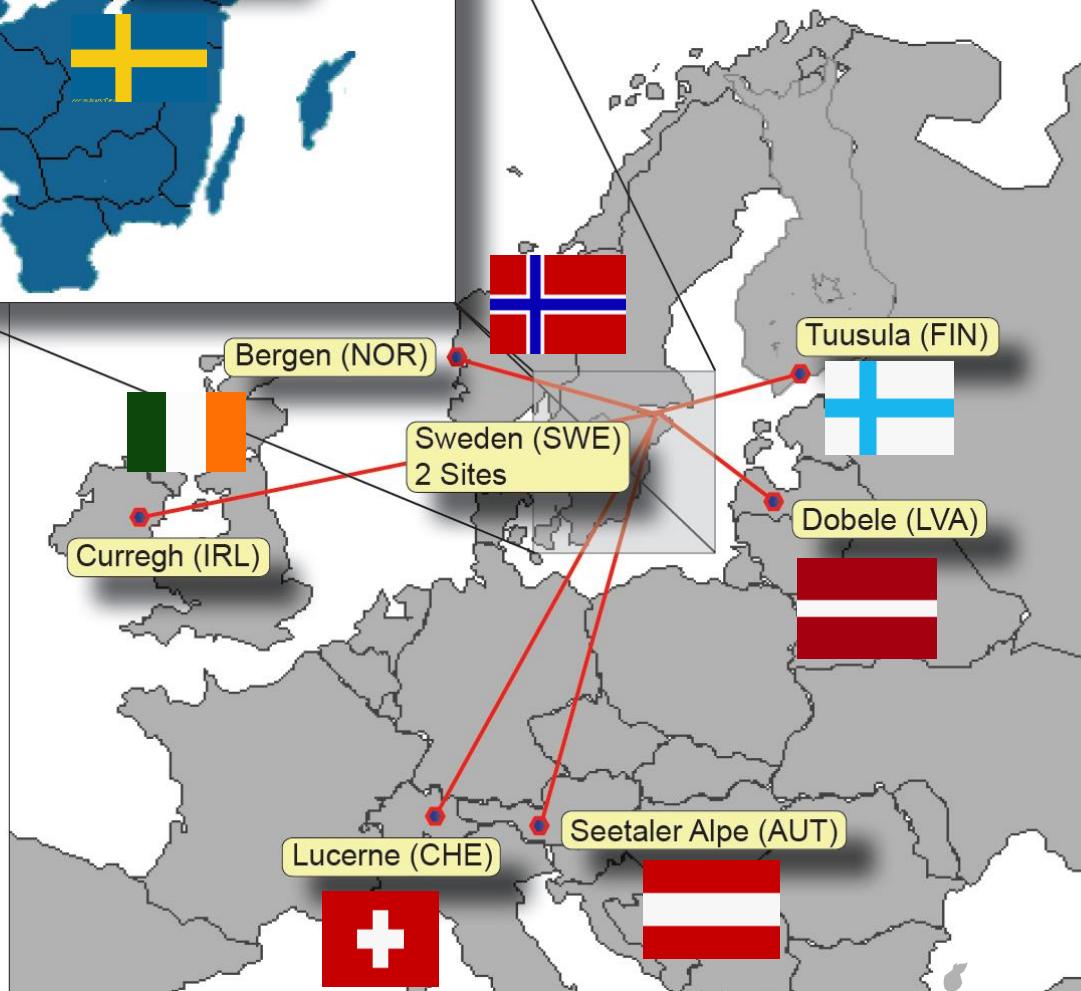


MAIN PARTNERS 1999-2008:





The VIKING 08



The fifth VIKING Computer Assisted Command Post Exercise based on the Partner Training & Simulation Network Concept

2 000 participants from 31 nations and 47 organizations

Main Training Audience on Land, Maritime, Air and Infooperations Component Command level

NATO procedures

Crises Response scenario (BOGALAND) including NATO- and EU-led operations



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VIKING 11



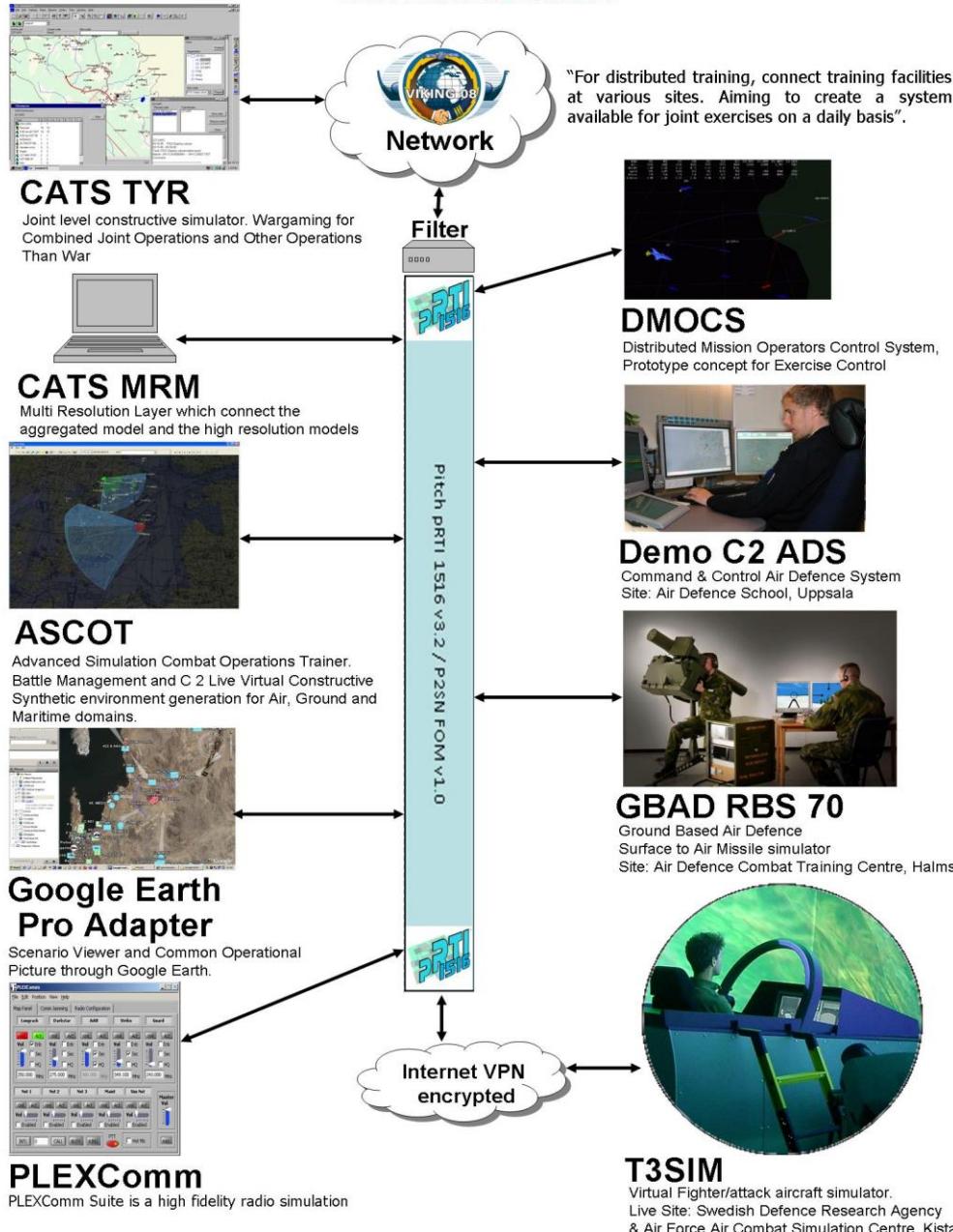
- Execution 4-15 April 2011
- Force HQ concept (mission tailored)
- Swedish main Training Audience – one of our readiness HQ's
- Downsize Exercise Control – “few to train many”
- Increase Concept Development & Experimentation
- Develop and increase Comprehensive Approach
- Civilian Partner (Folke Bernadotte Academy) to co-chair
- Increase Partner support through planning phase
- Core Planning Team to be formed at the Joint Training Centre
- Increase participation from Central Asia
- Open for identified Partners (by SWE&US), not only PfP – like NATO contact nations, African Union and EASBRIG
- Increase the use of designed ADL support



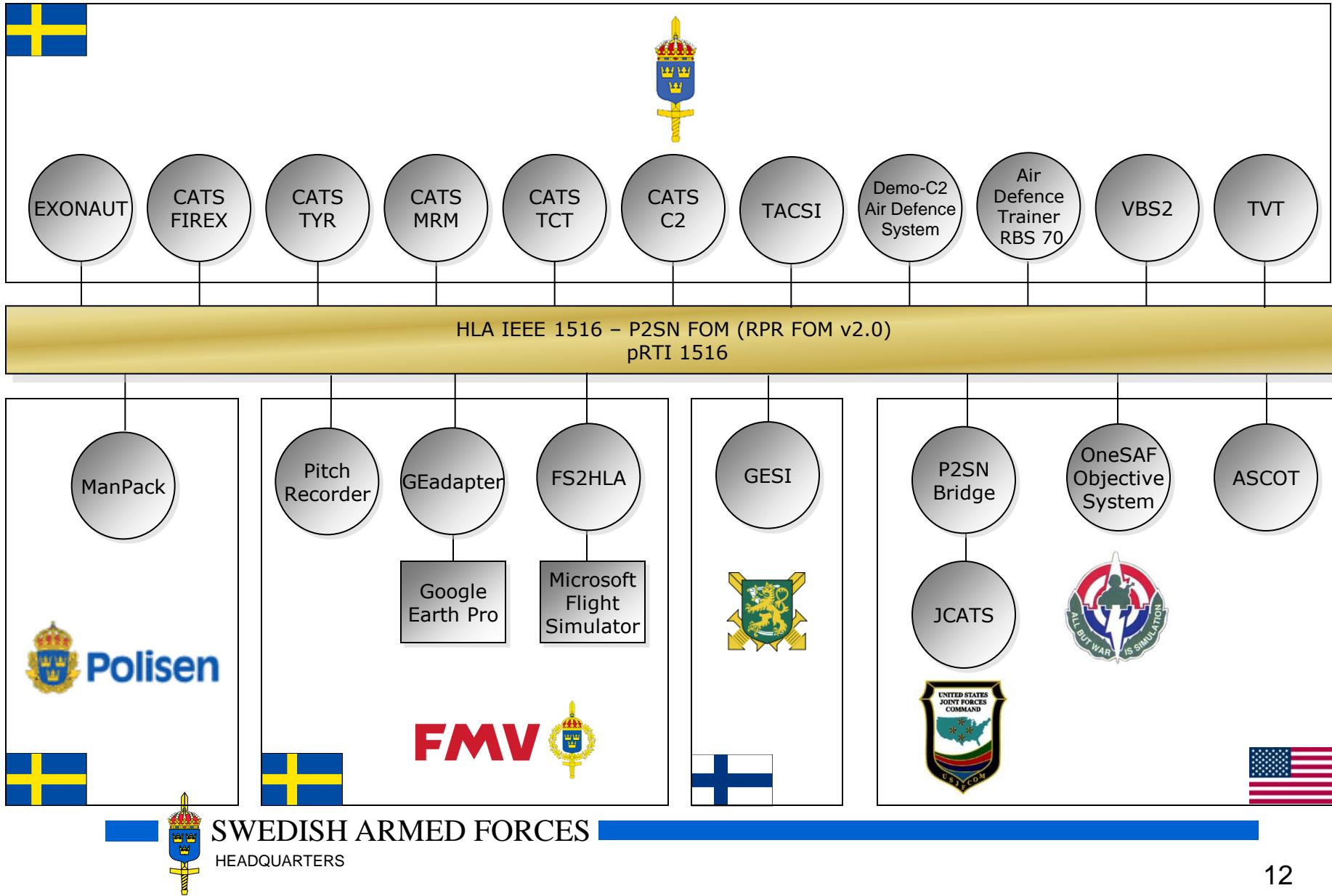
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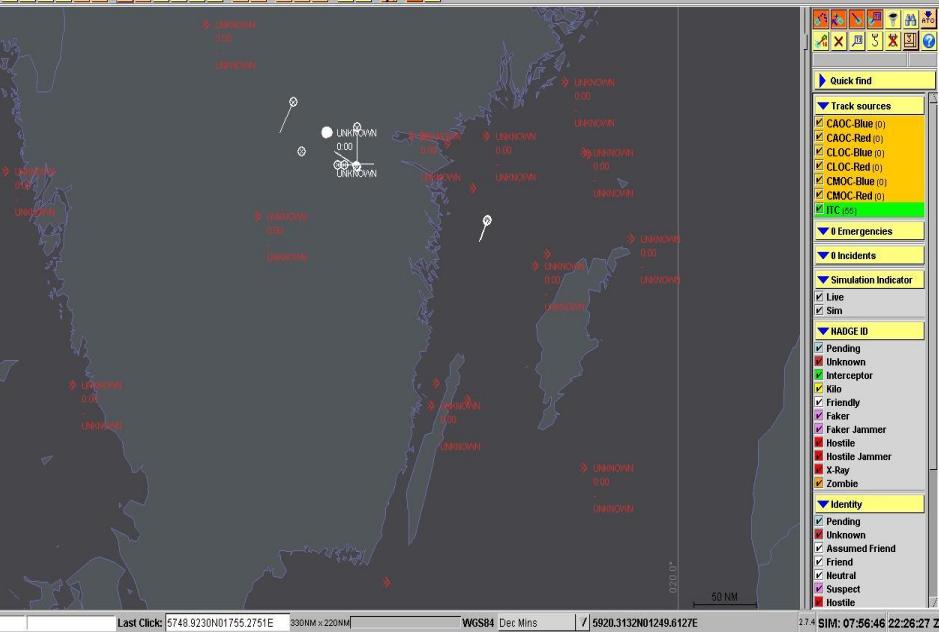
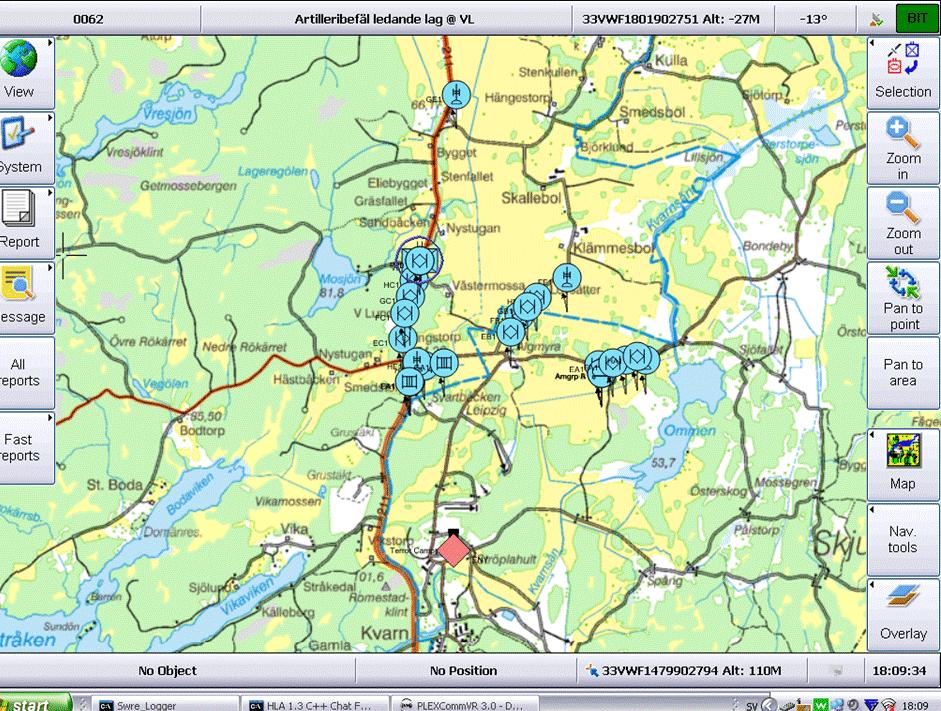
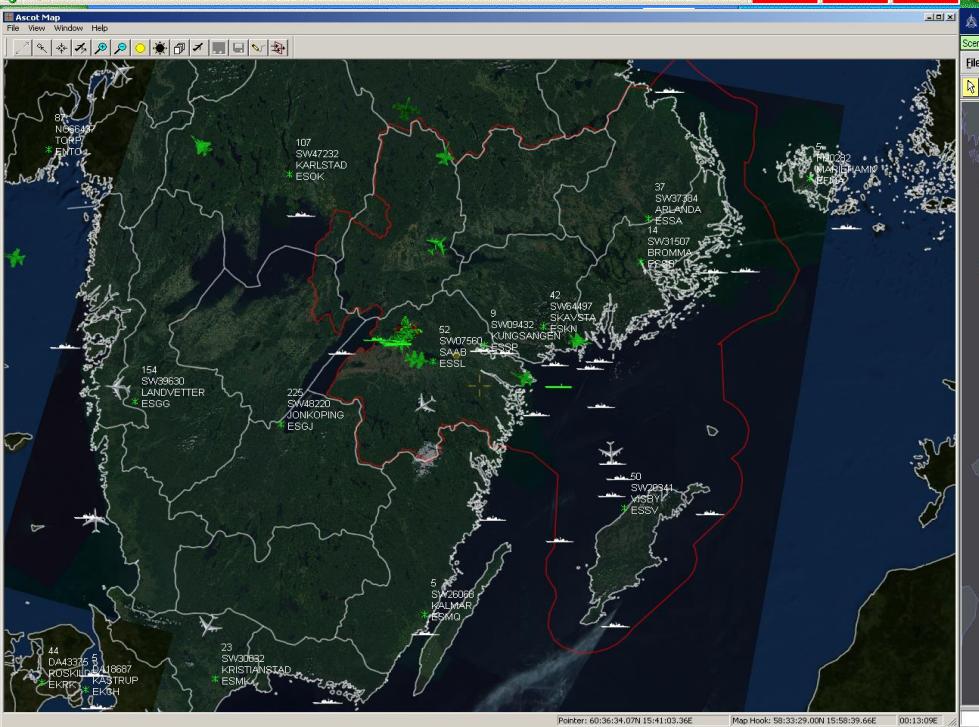
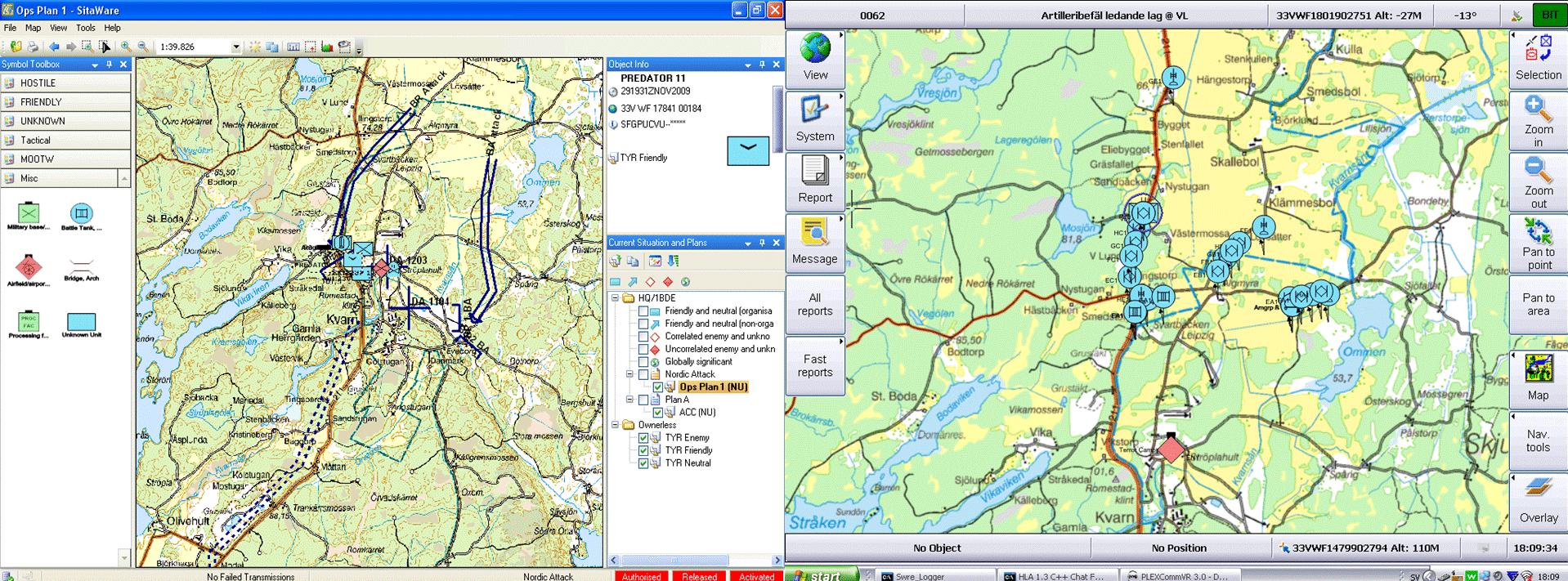
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The Swedish Joint National Training Capability Demonstration



ITEC 08 Federation Design





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Exercise tree

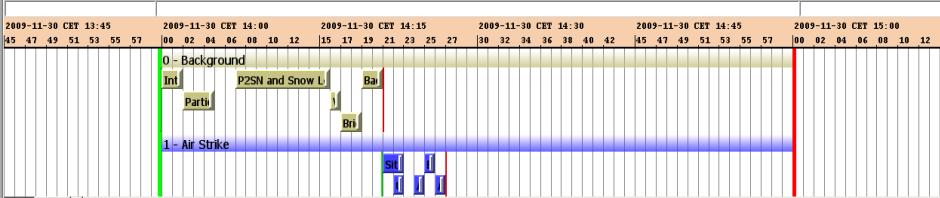
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- LTSEC 2009
 - Planning status
 - Conduct status
 - Time periods
 - Events
 - Evaluations
 - Files
 - External entities
 - Resources (Common filtering)
 - Exercise control
 - Locations
 - Objectives
- COMMAND AND CONTROL
 - COMMUNICATION
 - Mesh coordination
 - INTELLIGENCE
 - Establish comms betw...
 - Intelligence
 - Targeting
- Other
- Tasks

Search

Incident list: 23 pcs

Incident	Start time	Started	Ended	Status	Event	As planned
Introduction to demonstration	2009-11-30 14:00 CET	2009-11-29 14:27 CET	2009-11-29 14:27 CET	Finished	0 - Background	
Participating organisations	2009-11-30 14:02 CET	2009-11-29 14:27 CET	2009-11-29 14:27 CET	Finished	0 - Background	
P2SN and Snow Leopard	2009-11-30 14:07 CET	2009-11-29 14:27 CET	2009-11-29 14:27 CET	Finished	0 - Background	
Viking 11 - Presentation	2009-11-30 14:16 CET	2009-11-29 14:27 CET	2009-11-29 14:27 CET	Finished	0 - Background	
Briefing to situation	2009-11-30 14:17 CET	2009-11-29 14:27 CET	2009-11-29 14:27 CET	Finished	0 - Background	
Background briefing - Road to...	2009-11-30 14:19 CET	2009-11-29 14:27 CET	2009-11-29 14:27 CET	Finished	0 - Background	
Situation briefing 1	2009-11-30 14:21 CET	2009-11-29 14:27 CET	2009-11-29 14:27 CET	Finished	1 - Air Strike	
UAV Reconnaissance	2009-11-30 14:22 CET	2009-11-29 14:27 CET	2009-11-29 14:27 CET	Running	1 - Air Strike	
UAV live feed	2009-11-30 14:22 CET			Planning Finalised...	1 - Air Strike	
Indication of terrorcamp	2009-11-30 14:23 CET			Planning Finalised...	1 - Air Strike	
Air Strike by F18	2009-11-30 14:23 CET			Planning Finalised...	1 - Air Strike	
Air Strike by Griffin (Griffin 3...	2009-11-30 14:24 CET			Planning Finalised...	1 - Air Strike	
Battle damage assessment	2009-11-30 14:24 CET			Planning Finalised...	1 - Air Strike	
After Action Review Situation...	2009-11-30 14:26 CET			Planning Finalised...	1 - Air Strike	
Plan ground attack	2009-11-30 14:27 CET			Planning Finalised...	2 - Ground Attack	
Smoke indirect fire, ground at...	2009-11-30 14:28 CET			Planning Finalised...	2 - Ground Attack	
Ground Units move towards C...	2009-11-30 14:28 CET			Planning Finalised...	2 - Ground Attack	
AAR of situation 2	2009-11-30 14:29 CET			Planning Finalised...	2 - Ground Attack	
Terrorists drives away	2009-11-30 14:30 CET			Planning Finalised...	3 - Ground Move...	
Terrorists ambushed	2009-11-30 14:31 CET			Planning Finalised...	3 - Ground Move...	

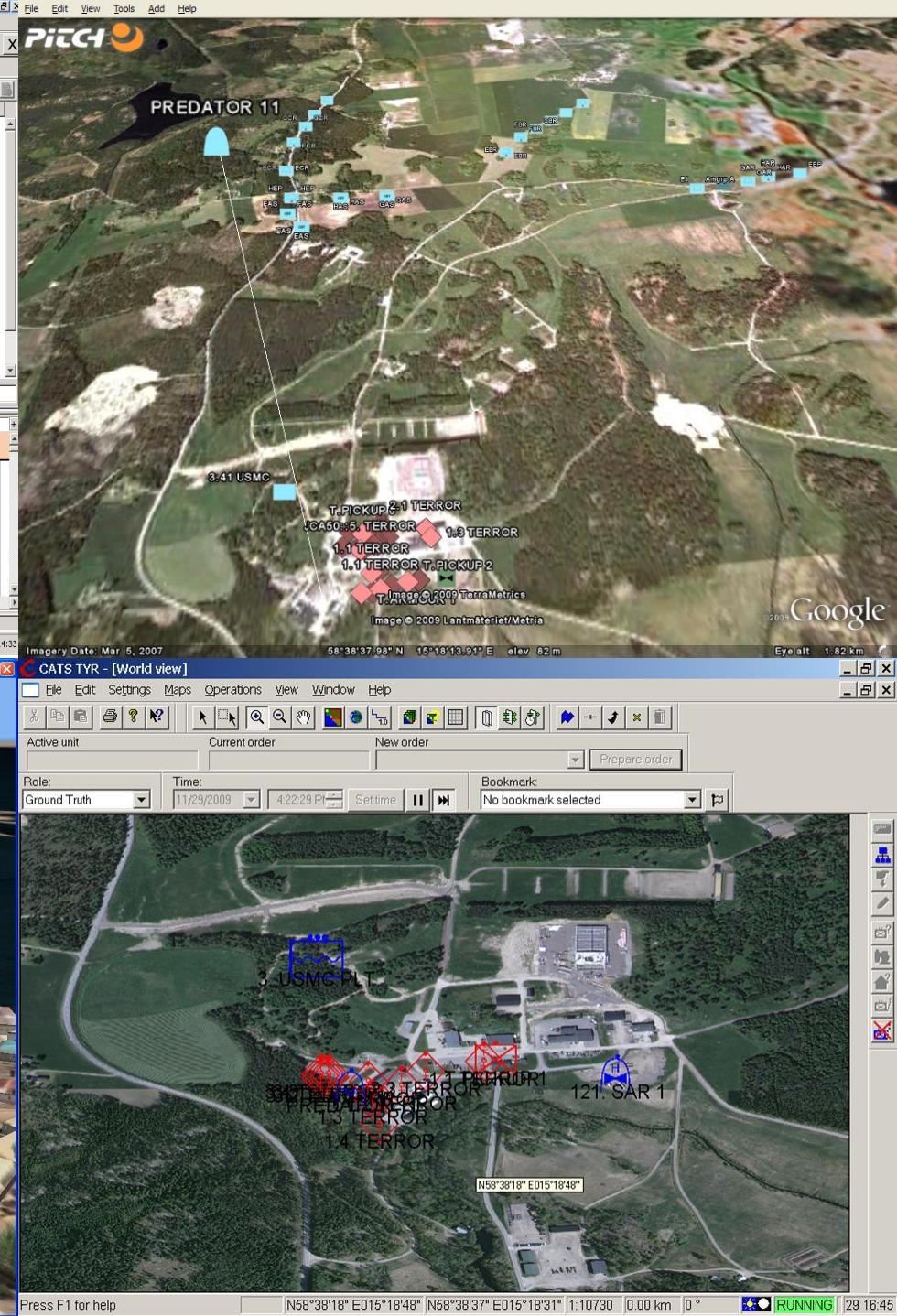
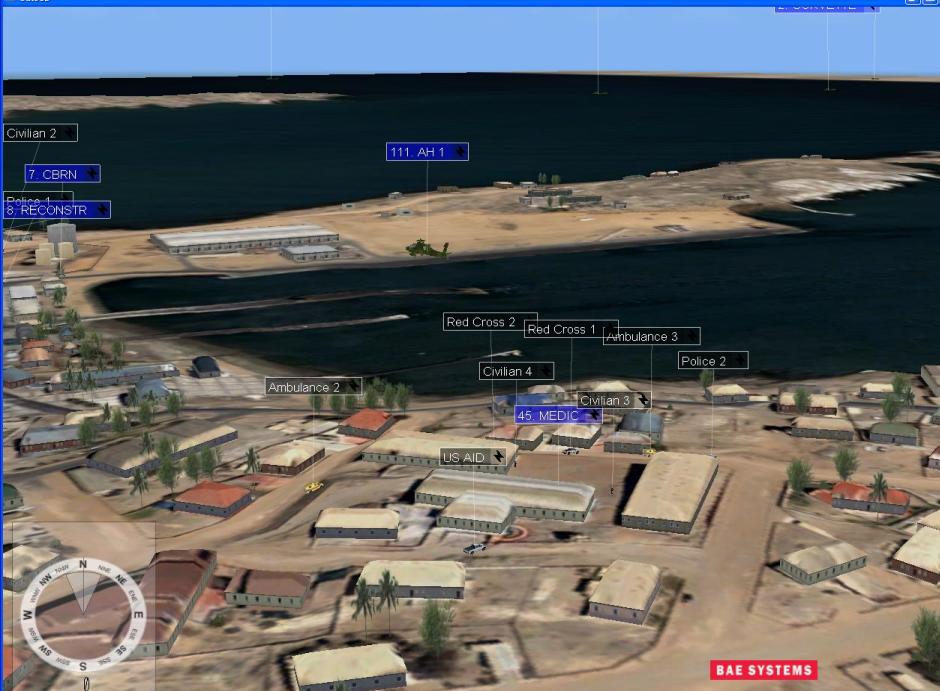
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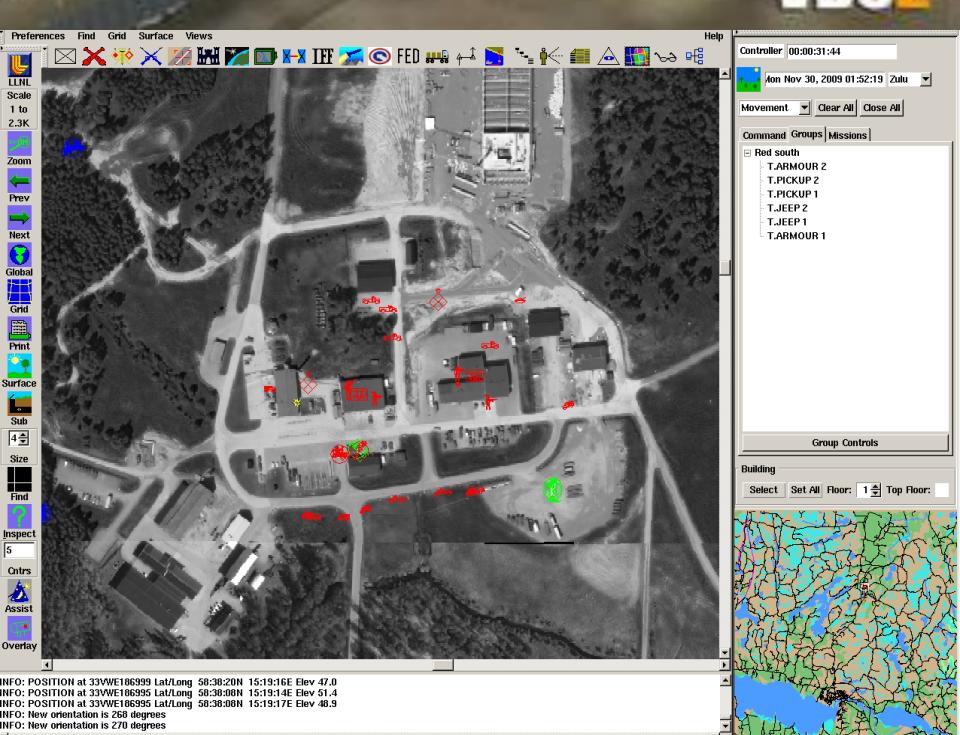
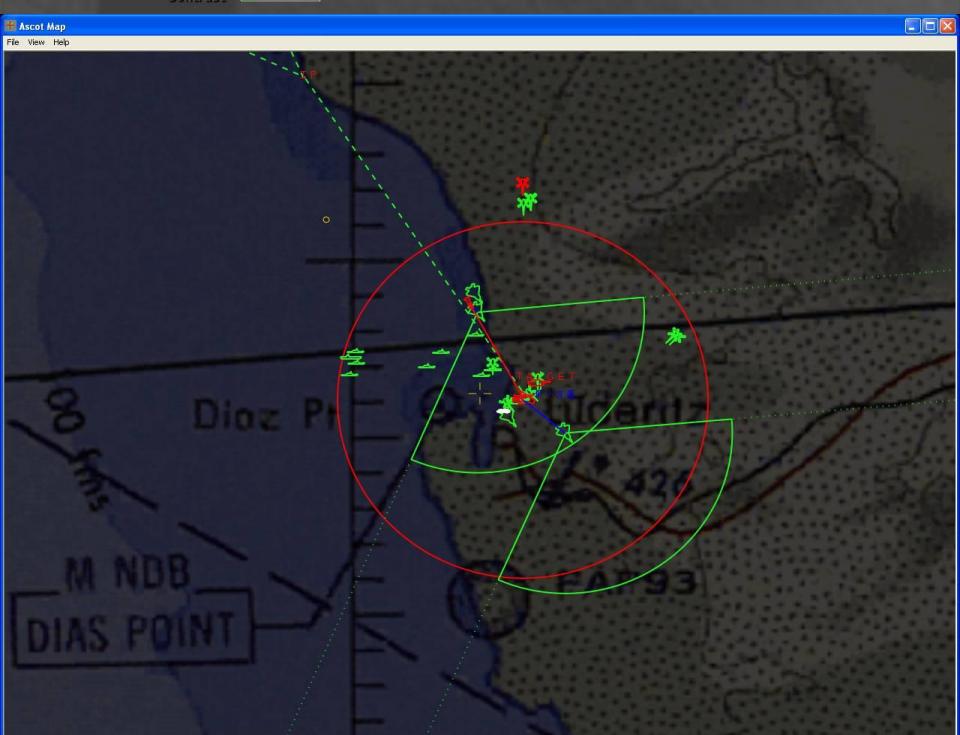


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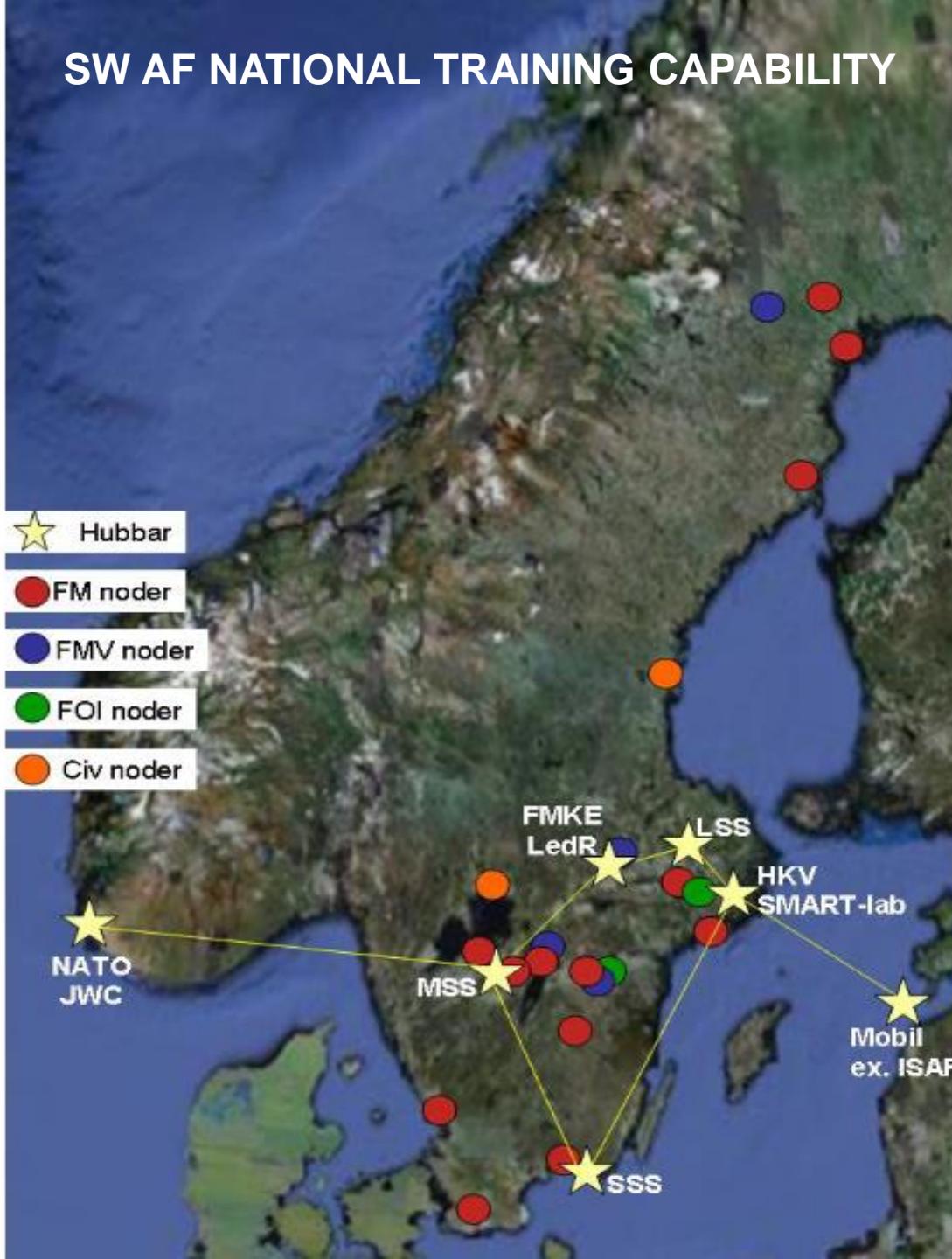
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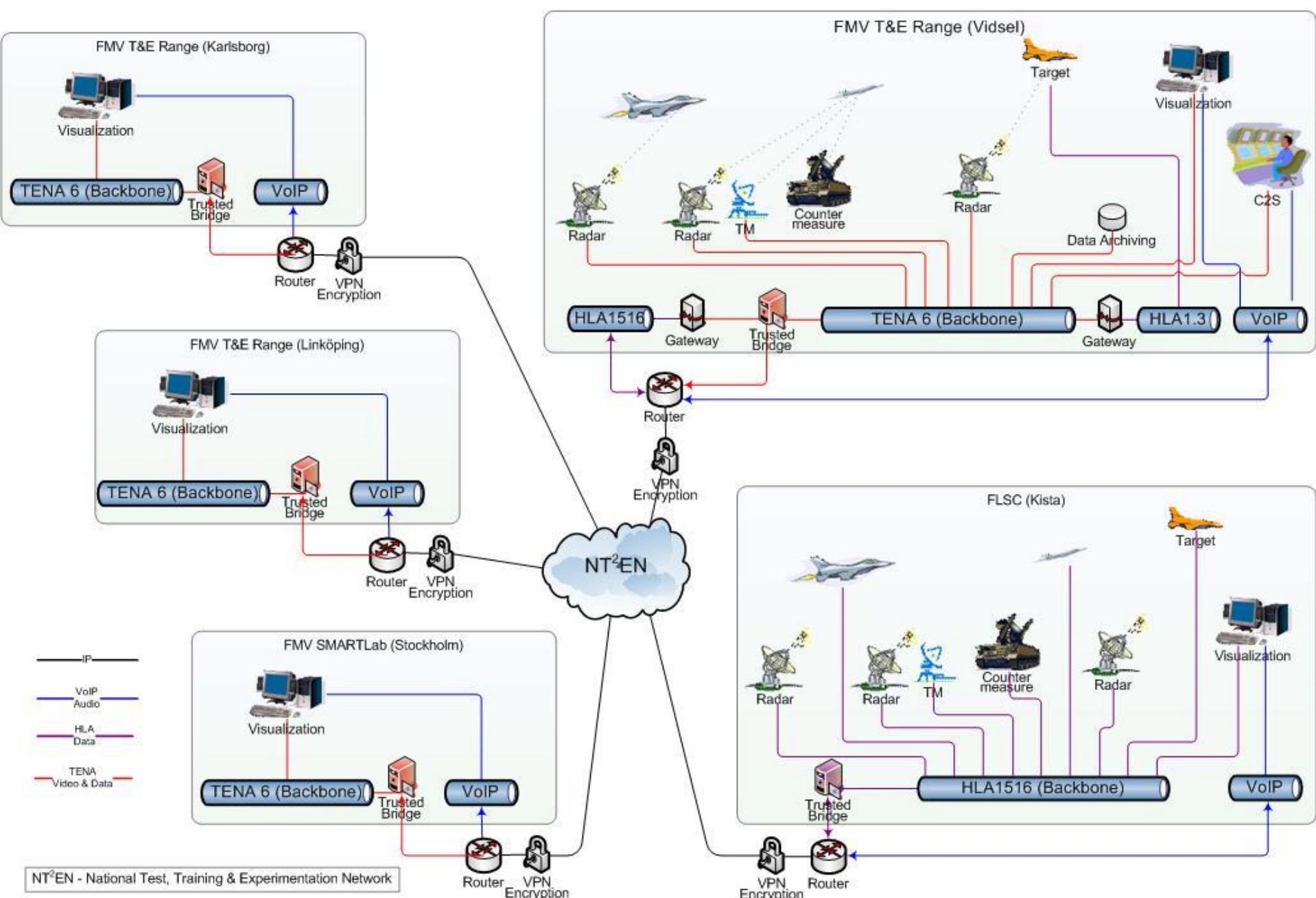


SW AF NATIONAL TRAINING CAPABILITY



Distributed, Mixed (LVC) Missile Test Scenario

Configuration overview



List of Ten Command & Control challenges :

1. To meet Warfighters operational requirements of tomorrow
2. Mission rehearsal and planning
3. Available in Theatre
4. Mobile platforms
5. Interoperability and Standardised languages
6. Federations and integration of training and C2 systems
7. Information sharing – alliance and partners
8. A Comprehensive Approach – Civilian dimension
9. Persistent low-cost concept –Multinational Capabilities
10. Multilevel security

